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Motter Avenue Bridge Project

Construction Update

January 21, 2013



Crews haul in fill dirt for the west abutment (end support) of bridge. The photo also shows the completed foundation for the west abutment of the pedestrian bridge (January 21, 2013).

Please drive carefully through the work zone and beyond:

- Observe new signs and flaggers during lane closures.
- Watch for construction equipment and working crews.
- Automated speed enforcement is in place on US 15. The speed limit is 55 mph.



Newly placed asphalt for maintenance of traffic for lane shifts. (January 21, 2013.)

Recent Accomplishments:

1. Crews have been working on installing water line along Motter Avenue/Opossumtown Pike on each side of the bridge. These will be tied into the new bridge when it is completed.
2. Crews have closed the sidewalk on the south side of the bridge and have been removing the sidewalk in preparation to shift traffic lanes to the south side of the bridge.
3. Crews have completed the abutments (end supports) for the temporary pedestrian bridge that will be installed across US 15.
4. Utility crews have been installing conduit for relocated electrical lines along Opossumtown Pike.
5. Crews have continued to place storm drain structures and pipe along Motter Avenue/Opossumtown Pike.

Upcoming work schedule:

1. Crews will be installing the temporary pedestrian bridge.
2. Crews will be installing a new cantilevered sign over US 15 and removing the existing sign.
3. Verizon will complete its utility relocation along Motter Avenue on the north side of project.
4. Crews will continue to work on storm drain installation in various locations throughout project.

On behalf of Maryland State Highway Administration (SHA), I would like to thank you for your cooperation and patience. Please drive with caution through our work zone.

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